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*Need to go back to ① definition - OK H+R
② title 3.*

**HOUSE & SENATE STAFF CONFERENCE MEETINGS ON HR.1617
February 6, 1996 & February 7, 1996**

TOPIC - LIBRARIES & MUSEUM SERVICES

Note 530

Note 531 - HR/SR w/amendment:

\$150 million for authorization; change year to FY1997; include "such sums" for FY1998-FY2002; keep current law authorizing forward funding (site reference - 103-28, volume 2, 4c(1)(2), pg.674)

Note 531a - SR

Note 531b - SR

Note 531bb - New note regarding Senate language (SEC.214(a)(2)), addressing the issue of transfer of funds between the Secretary of Education and the Director of Museum Services. HOLD

Note 531c - SR

Note 531d - HR w/amendment - changing administrative funds to 3%

Note 531e - HR w/amendment: begin with FY1997 and continue from FY1998-2002 (agreement of authorization at \$28,700,000 - will be dependent on other issues)

Note 531f - HR

Note 531g - SR

Note 531h - HR

Note 531i - HOLD *Members issue - Jeff and L.H. not*

Note 532 - HR

Note 533 - HR w/amendment:

(1) "Commission" - define as the "National Commission on Libraries and Museums";

(2) "Director" - keep Senate definition;

(3) "Deputy Director" - define as the "Deputy Director" of the National Commission appointed under section ____;

(4) "Museum Board" - strike definition

Note 534 - HR

Note 535 - HR w/amendment:

SEC. ___ DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE

(a) APPOINTMENT. - keep Senate language

(1) IN GENERAL. - keep Senate language

(2) TERM. - keep Senate language

(3) QUALIFICATIONS. - "Such individual shall have special competence with regard to library and information services."

(b) COMPENSATION. - keep Senate language

(c) DUTIES AND POWERS. - keep Senate language

(1) - keep Senate language

(2) - strike

(A) - strike

(b) - strike

(d) DELEGATION. - "The Director shall delegate the award of museum grants to the Deputy Director"

(e) COORDINATION. - keep Senate language

Note: Have to work w/Leg. Counsel regarding the authority of the Director and the Deputy Director.

→ Note 536 - ^{HR}HOLD - *House Work in - Sen. h. re. Dep. Dir. - Pres. app. t.*
→ *HR w. R. amendm. - manages language*

Note 537 - HR

Note 538 - HR

Note 539 - HR

✓ Note 540 - HR w/amendment: - inclusion of definition of "State" (language to be provided by David Evans)

add (7) pages with all notes
Note 541 - HR w/amendment: - change "Director" to "Deputy Director"; change "Board" to "Commission"

Note 541a - HR w/amendment: - change "Director" to "Deputy Director"; change "Board" to "Commission"

Note 541b - HR w/amendment: - change "Director" to "Deputy Director"

Note 541c - HR w/amendment: - change "Director" to "Deputy Director"

Note 542 - SR

Note 543 - HR w/amendment: - change "Director" to "Deputy Director"; change "Board" to "Commission"

Note 544 - SR w/amendment: (language to be provided by Senate)

Note 544a - SR

Note 544b - SR

Note 544c - SR

Note 545 - HOLD (Senate will offer a proposal)

Note 546 - HR w/amendment: (need assistance from Leg. Counsel)

Note 547 - HOLD

Note 547a - HOLD

Note 547b - HOLD

Note 547c - HOLD

Note 547e - HOLD

Note 547f - HOLD

Note 547g - HOLD

Note 548 - HR

Note 549 - HR/SR with amendment:

"Sec. ____ .PURPOSE.

(a) STATEMENT OF PURPOSE - The purposes of this subtitle are as follows:

(1) to consolidate federal library service programs;

(2) to stimulate excellence and promote access to learning and information resources in all types of libraries for individuals of all ages;

(3) to promote library services that provide all users access to information through regional, State, national and international electronic networks;

(4) to provide linkages among and between libraries and [one-stops/integrated career centers]; and

(5) to promote targeted library services to people of diverse geographic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds, to individuals with disabilities, and to people with limited functional literacy or information skills.

Note 550

Note 550a - HR w/amendment:

- (1) "INDIAN TRIBE" - move definition to title I — SR — *Darcy will do to conform*
- (2) "LIBRARY CONSORTIA" - keep Senate definition
- (3) "LIBRARY ENTITY" - strike
- (4) "PUBLIC LIBRARY" - strike, include House definition of "LIBRARY"
- HR* (5) "STATE" - keep Senate definition for now - HOLD regarding outlying territories
- (6) "STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL" - HOLD

Note 550b - SR:

- (7) "STATE LIBRARY ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY" - strike
- (8) "STATE PLAN" - keep Senate definition

Note 551 - HR

Note 551a - HR w/amendment: change reserve to 4%; change "national leadership program" to "national leadership grants"

[Want to include language such as; "If the funds have not been obligated by the end of the fiscal year, funds are to be re-allotted to the State under the prescribed formula" - need Leg. Counsel assistance]

Makes complete. mem. for fed. states
Note 552 - HOLD (pending) *HR w/amendment re. fed. states, many agreeable to X & complete.*

Note 552aa - **HOLD** (New note regarding allotments -- \$200,000 vs \$400,000) *Jeffords*

Note 552a - LC

Note 552b - LC

Note 553 - HR

Note 554 - SR w/amendment: 4% for administrative State funding

Note 555

Note 555a - HOLD (maintenance of effort) *Federal share*

Note 555b - HOLD (maintenance of effort)

Note 555c - HOLD (maintenance of effort)

Note 556 - SR w/amendment:

SEC. ___ STATE PLAN.

(a) STATE PLAN REQUIRED. -

(1) IN GENERAL. - In order to be eligible to receive a grant under this subtitle, a State library administrative agency shall submit a State plan to the Director not later than April 1, 1997.

(2) DURATION. - The State plan shall cover a period of 5 fiscal years.

(3) REVISIONS. - If a State library administrative agency makes a substantive revision to its State plan, then the State library administrative agency shall submit to the Director an amendment to the State plan containing such revision not later than April 1 of the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year for which the amendment will be effective.

(b) CONTENTS. -

(1) establish goals, and specify priorities, for the State consistent with the purposes of this subtitle;

(2) describe activities that are consistent with such goals and priorities, the purposes of this subtitle, and the requirements of section ___ that the State library administrative agency will carry out during such year using such grant;

(3) describe the procedures that such agency will use to carry out such activities;

(4) describe the methodology that such agency will evaluate the success of such activities in achieving such goals and meeting such priorities;

(5) describe procedures that such agency will use to involve libraries and library users throughout the State in policy decisions regarding implementation of this subtitle; and

(6) provide assurances satisfactory to the Secretary that such agency will make such reports, in such form and containing such

information, as the Secretary may reasonably require to carry out this subtitle and to determine the extent to which funds provided under this subtitle have been effective in carrying out its purposes.

(c) EVALUATION. - Each State receiving a grant under this subtitle shall independently evaluate and report prior to the end of the 5 year plan, the activities assisted under this title.

(d) INFORMATION. - Each public library receiving assistance under section ____ shall submit to the State library administrative agency such information as such agency may require to meet the requirements of paragraph ____.

Note 556a - HR

Note 557 - SR w/amendment:

(a) IN GENERAL. - Of the funds provided to a State library administrative agency under section 454(a)(2)(A), the agency shall expend (either directly or through subgrants or cooperative agreements) at least 96 percent in the aggregate for the following two purposes:

(1) to establish or enhance electronic linkages among or between libraries, career center systems designated or established under section 107, and local service providers receiving grants under paragraphs (1) or (2) of section 432(a), or any combination thereof; and

(2) to target library and information services to persons having difficulty using a library and under-served urban and rural communities, including children (from birth through age 17) from families living below the income official poverty line (as defined by the Office of Management and Budget and revised annually in accordance with section 673(2) of the Community Services Block Grant Act (42 USC 9902(2))).

Special Rule. With respect to subsections (a)(1) and (a)(2) above, each State library administrative agency may apportion funds between the two purposes, as appropriate, to meet the needs of the individual State.

Note 557a - HR

Note 558 - SR

Note 559 - SR

Note 559a - SR

Note 559b - SR

Note 559c - SR

Note 560 - SR w/amendment: move evaluations to State plan.

Note 561 - HOLD *HR*
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Note 562 - SR w/amendment: (have Indians conform w/the purposes of the Act - need assistance w/Leg. Counsel)

Note 562a - SR

✓ Note 563 - HR w/amendment: - change to "national leadership grants"

✓ Note 563a - HR w/amendment: - (*House* working on language)

Note 564 - HR

Note 565 - SR

Note 565a - SR

Note 565b - LC

PDW prepare definit. of public library & research library